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ICANT(S):

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"METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR DEVELOPING DATA FLOW

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### **AMENDMENT "A"**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED   |  |       |  |                         |                                      |             |
|---|--|-------|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
|   | (2)<br>CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | (4)<br>HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | (5)<br>PRESENT<br>EXTRA | (6)<br>RATE                          | (7) ADL FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS   |  | MINUS |  |                         | () X 9.00<br>() X 18.00              | 0.00        |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS  |  | MINUS |  |                         | () X 39.00<br>() X 80.00             | 0.00        |
| Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for. |  |       |  | () YES<br>(X) NO        | ()\$135.00<br>()\$270.00<br>ONE TIME |             |
|   |  |       | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE<br>FOR THIS AMENDMENT   |                         | \$0.00                               |             |

- Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the X Office Action dated March 25, 2005 for 1 month so that the period for response is extended to July 25, 2005.
- A postal money order no. 04807044066 in the amount of \$ 120.00 is enclosed for the extension fee.  $\mathbf{X}$ A check in the amount of \$\_\_ is attached to cover the additional claim fee.
- $\bar{\mathbf{x}}$ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed. When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 2606.

SONNENSCHEIN NATH & ROSENTHAL LLP

DATE: July 25, 2005

Christopher P. Rauch (Reg. No. 45,034)

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 25, 2005.

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SIR:

This Amendment "A" is filed in response to the non-final Office Action of March 25, 2005. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.